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IN RE APPLICATION OF: Mikhail Markovich GUSYATINER, et al.

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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment and Request for Reconsideration in the above-identified application.

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- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is claimed.
- ☐ Additional documents filed herewith:

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SIR:

In response to the Official Action dated July 2, 2004, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendment and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this response.

Support for the Amendment appears on page 4 of this response.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this response.